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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In Re the Application of:

Applicant : Derek Mitsumori et al.	Confirmation No: 6045
Appln. No. : 10/629,521	Group Art Unit: 2616
Filed : 29 July 2003	Examiner: Chandahas B. Patel
Title : SYSTEM AND METHOD FOR MONITORING COMMUNICATIONS IN A NETWORK	Docket No. 519-037-USP

**SUBMISSION OF EXTENSION FEE PAYMENT FOR NON-FINAL OFFICE ACTION  
IN AN ABANDONED APPLICATION**

Via Facsimile 571-273-8300  
U.S. Patent and Trademark Office  
Commissioner for Patents  
P.O. Box 1450  
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Dear Sir:

The undersigned attorney hereby submits payment of the Extension Fee for Non-Final Office Action in the above-referenced matter, which stands abandoned due to failure to respond to the Non-Final Office Action mailed 04 May 2007, within the statutory period.

The above-referenced patent application was abandoned 18 November 2007. A Petition for Revival of an Application for Patent Abandoned Unintentionally Under 37 CFR 1.137(b) (Petition) is being filed contemporaneously with this submission, and attached to that Petition are the following:

1. Petition for Extension of Time Under 37 CFR 1.136(a) (3 months - \$1050.00)
2. Power of Attorney and Assignee Statement with attachments

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Respectfully submitted,

Date: 19 February 2008

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**PETITION FOR REVIVAL OF AN APPLICATION FOR PATENT  
ABANDONED UNINTENTIONALLY UNDER 37 CFR 1.137(b)**

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First named inventor: Derek Mitsumori

Art Unit: 2616

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The above-identified application became abandoned for failure to file a timely and proper reply to a notice or action by the Patent and Trademark Office. The date of abandonment is the day after the expiration date of the period set for reply in the Office notice or action plus any extensions of time actually obtained.

**APPLICANT HEREBY PETITIONS FOR REVIVAL OF THIS APPLICATION.**

NOTE: A grantable petition requires the following items:

- (1) Petition fee;
- (2) Reply to Office Action dated 04 May 2007 with extension fee
- (3) (Not Required) Terminal disclaimer with disclaimer fee-required for all utility and plant applications filed before June 8, 1995, and for all design applications; and
- (4) Statement that the entire delay was unintentional.

**1. Petition fee to revive**

☐ Small entity - fee \$ \_\_\_\_\_ (37 CFR 1.17(l)). Applicant claims small entity status.  
See 37 CFR 1.27.

☒ Other than small entity - fee \$ 1,540 (37 CFR 1.17(l)).

**2. Reply and/or fee**

**A. The following three replies:**

Petition to Revive Unintentionally Abandoned Application (identify the type of reply):

Amendment and Response to Non-Final Office Action dated 04 May 2007 and IDS (identify the type of reply)

☒ Petition fee has been noted in above (1. Petition fee).

☒ "Unintentionally Abandoned" statement in page 3 herein.

**B. Other than Small entity fee for response within third Month \$1050.00**

☐ has been paid previously on \_\_\_\_\_

☒ is enclosed herewith.

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This collection of information is required by 37 CFR 1.137(a). The information is required to obtain or retain a benefit by the public which is to file (and by the USPTO to process) an application. Confidentiality is governed by 35 U.S.C. 122 and 37 CFR 1.11 and 1.14. This collection is estimated to take 8 hours to complete, including gathering, preparing, and submitting the completed application form to the USPTO. Time will vary depending upon the individual case. Any comments on the amount of time you require to complete this form and/or suggestions for reducing this burden, should be sent to the Chief Information Officer, U.S. Patent and Trademark Office, U.S. Department of Commerce, P.O. Box 1450, Alexandria, VA 22313-1450. **DO NOT SEND FEES OR COMPLETED FORMS TO THIS ADDRESS. SEND TO: Mail Stop Petition, Commissioner for Patents, P.O. Box 1450, Alexandria, VA 22313-1450.**

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**3. Terminal disclaimer with disclaimer fee**

- ☒ Since this utility/plant application was filed on or after June 8, 1995, no terminal disclaimer is required.
- ☐ A terminal disclaimer (and disclaimer fee (37 CFR 1.20(d)) of \$ \_\_\_\_\_ for a small entity or \$ \_\_\_\_\_ for other than a small entity) disclaiming the required period time of time is enclosed herewith (see PTO/SB/63).
4. ☒ For fees authorized to be paid hereinabove, the Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge the fees, any deficiency of fees, and credit of any overpayments to Deposit Account No. 503199.

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/Damon A. Rieth/

15 February 2008

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- Enclosures: ☒ Fee Payment Petition to Revive Unintentionally Abandoned Application fee = \$1540.00
- ☒ Reply to Office Action mailed 04 May 2007 with 3-month Petition for Extension and Extension fee \$1050.00  
2 independent claims in excess of 3 = \$420.00
- ☐ Terminal Disclaimer Form (Not Applicable)
- ☒ Page 3 herein containing statements establishing unintentional delay
- ☒ Information Disclosure Statement with IDS Fee Payment \$180.00, European Search Report and IDS Certificate

**CERTIFICATE OF MAILING OR TRANSMISSION (37 CFR 1.8(a))**

I hereby certify that this correspondence is being:

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19 February 2008

/Sara B. McPeak/

Date

Signature

Sara B. McPeak

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**NOTE:** The following showing of the cause of unintentional delay must be signed by all applicants and by any other party who is presenting statements concerning the cause of delay.

/Damon A. Rieth/

19 February 2008

Signature

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(In the space provided below, please explain in detail the reasons for the delay in filing a proper reply)**STATEMENT UNDER 37 CFR 1.137(b)(3)**

Pursuant to 37 CFR 1.137 (b) (3), the entire delay in filing a reply to the Non-Final Office Action mailed May 4, 2007 was unintentional.

The Non-Final Office Action was sent to Thelen, Reid, Brown, Raysman & Steiner LLP (Thelen) which had the Power of Attorney on 04 May 2007. Thelen did not forward the Notice of Allowance to the Applicant (Level 3 Communications) or the undersigned until 17 December 2007. As such, the Undersigned and the Applicant did not receive the Non-Final Office Action until 1 ½ months after the Final Response deadline for the Non-Final Office Action. The Undersigned and the Applicant have diligently worked to obtain assignments from the inventors in order to change the Power of Attorney and correspondence address.

Dated: 2.19.08

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